COMPONENTS:

1. Ammonium pyroselenite; (NH₄)₂Se₂O₅; [13597-78-9]

2. Water; H₂O; [7732-18-5]

ORIGINAL MEASUREMENTS:

Janickis, J.

Z. Anorg. Allgem. Chem. 1934, 218, 89-103.

VARIABLES:

Temperature: 258 - 343 K

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EXPERIMENTAL VALUES:

t/°C	(NH ₄) ₂ Se ₂ O ₅	(NH ₄) ₂ Se ₂ O ₅ ^a	Solid
	mass %	mol/kg	phase
-15.0	49.62	3.595	В
-10.0	52.86	4.092	В
0.0	56.84	4.806	В
+15.0	66.65	7.294	В
20.0	69.50	8.316	В
25.0	73.24	9.989	В
30.0	79.74	14.364	В
32.0	82.29	16.958	В
32.0	86.23	22.855	A
33.2	86.35	23.088	Α
34.0	86.43	23.245	Α
45.1	87.23	24.930	Α
57.2	88.78	28.878	Α
70.1	90.56	35.012	A

- a Molalities calculated by the compiler.
- ^b Solid phases: A $(NH_4)_2Se_2O_5$, B $(NH_4)_2Se_2O_5$.3 H_2O

AUXILIARY INFORMATION

METHOD APPARATUS/PROCEDURE:

For each temperature, a saturated solution was prepared by stirring the salt in water inside a stoppered 4-cm diameter test-tube. Small samples of solution were removed at intervals for analysis, in order to test for attainment of equilibrium. The time required varied between 2½ and 24 hr. The solutions were analysed for SeO₂ by the method of Norris and Fay (1).

The solid phases were identified by analysis.

SOURCE AND PURITY OF MATERIALS:

ESTIMATED ERROR:

Temperature: $-20 - 0^{\circ}\text{C} \pm 0.2^{\circ}\text{C}$, $0 - 60^{\circ}\text{C} \pm 0.1^{\circ}\text{C}$, $60 - 110^{\circ}\text{C} \pm 0.3^{\circ}\text{C}$.

REFERENCES:

 Norris, J.F.; Fay, H. Amer. Chem. J. 1896, 18, 703; 1900, 23, 119.

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VARIABLES:

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Temperature: 256 - 273 K

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Composition

EXPERIMENTAL VALUES:

Composition of equilibrium solutions

t/°C	$(\mathrm{NH_4})_2\mathrm{Se}_2\mathrm{O}_5$	$(NH_4)_2Se_2O_5$	(NH ₄) ₂ Se ₂ O ₅ a	NH ₄ HSeO ₃ a	Solid ^b
	mo1/dm ³	mass %	mol/kg	mol/kg	phase
- 0.148	0.02	0.547	0.0201	0.0415	ıce
- 0.373	0.05	1.36	0.0503	0.1007	**
- 0.697	0.1	2.69	0.1009	0.2021	**
- 1,365	0.2	5.29	0.204	0.410	**
- 3.18	0.5	12.57	0.525	1.059	**
- 6.23	1.004	23.35	1.112	2,269	**
-13.0	2.008	40.7	2.504	5.244	**
-16.9	satd.	49.0	3,507	7.49	ice +
	·			(NH ₄)	2Se2O5.3H2O

a Molalities calculated by the compiler.

AUXILIARY INFORMATION

METHOD APPARATUS/PROCEDURE:

Freezing points of prepared solutions were measured by use of a Beckman-type apparatus (1). Determinations were repeated until the desired reproducibility was attained. Each reported value is the mean of at least three determinations.

SOURCE AND PURITY OF MATERIALS:

Ammonium pyroselenite was prepared from selenious acid and ammonia solution.

ESTIMATED ERROR:

Temperature reproducibility 0.5%

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 Ostwald, W.; Luther, R. Hand- und Hilfsbuch zur Ausfuhrung physikochemischer Messungen, 5th Ed., Akademische Verlag., Leipzig, 1931.